

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-45 (canceled)

Claim 46 (withdrawn): A hosted system providing a Mobile Virtual Network Operator (MVNO) the ability to offer mobile service to its users over a virtual wireless network, which is based on at least one Mobile Network Operator (MNO) network. The system can host more than one MVNO, each MVNO has its own partitioned part of the system, comprising: a software component for managing and configuring services, a component which interacts with MNO network, a software mediation engine which handles the service and application communication between the software and application management system and the software and hardware components which interact with the MNO network.

Claim 47 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system interacts with at least one of the MNO systems.

Claim 48 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system interacts with other external networks and services, and provide a platform for defining and managing services which operate across the various types of networks which are part of the Virtual Network Operator (VNO) offering.

Claim 49 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system includes an application platform, which hosts applications which are used by MVNO users.

Claim 50 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system includes a software system for development of services. These services are capable to operate across the virtual network, the system provides notes if there are any limitations for the service operations across parts of the virtual network.

Claim 51 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 50 and further comprising, in which the system provides suggestions for service configuration and service development, in order to improve service operations, based on the limitation notes.

Claim 52 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system stores pre-arrangements of use of the network, between the various MNOs, the system operator (i.e. MVNO ASP), and the various MVNOs.

Claim 53 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system handles the settlement fees between the various network operators, the system operator and the various MVNOs.

Claim 54 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which each MVNO has no access to other entity's data, unless the system operator (i.e. MVNO ASP) makes such provision.

Claim 55 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system provides a MVNO interface, which enables each MVNO to configure and edit their own services and data and define their users' policies and permissioning.

Claim 56 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system provides a MVNO End User interface, which enables MVNOs' users to register to services, define their preferences and edit their selections and profile.

Claim 57 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system includes a table, which maps each MVNO End User to the MVNO it uses.

Claim 58 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 57 and further comprising, in which the unique key of the table is the mobile user ID.

Claim 59 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which the system provides a Multi MVNO Aggregator interface, which enables the system operator to associate services and applications to each MVNO, to register to services, define their preferences and edit their selections and profile.

Claim 60 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 46 and further comprising, in which MVNOs are added to a group, which is managed by an authorized user.

Claim 61 (withdrawn): A system providing an Entity C to manage at least two software MVNOs, where each MVNO has its own name, and the system enables Entity C (i.e. Multi MVNO Aggregator) to define and manage each MVNO, and its services and its users, comprising: a software component for managing services, a software component for defining and managing a MVNO; a software component for managing the customers of each MVNO; a software component for managing user policies and permissioning; a table, which maps each MVNO End User to the MVNO it belongs to.

Claim 62 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 61 and further comprising, in which the system interacts with other external networks and services.

Claim 63 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 61 and further comprising, in which the system provides an MVNO End User interface, which enables MVNOs' users to register to services, define their preferences and edit their selections and profile.

Claim 64 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 61 and further comprising, in which the system includes a table, which maps each MVNO End User to the MVNO it uses.

Claim 65 (withdrawn): A system according to claim 61 and further comprising, in which the unique key of the table, which maps each MVNO End User to the MVNO is belongs to, is the mobile user ID.

Claim 66 (new): A hosted mobile virtual network operator (MVNO) apparatus comprising:

- an interface to a plurality of network operators;
- an interface to a service provider;
- an interface to an external network; and
- an application service provider unit enabled to manage a partnership module to said at least network operator, a module for settling operator fees, and at least a module to enable the hosting of at least an application of said service provider;

such that the apparatus is capable of providing a customer of said service provider with service from at least one of said plurality of network operators while communicating solely with the hosted MVNO apparatus.

Claim 67 (new): The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the external network is the world-wide web (WWW)

Claim 68 (new): The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the service provider and the network operator are the same entity or same organization

Claim 69 (new): The apparatus of claim 1, wherein said application is provided by said customer.